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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2005, which sets a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified application, Applicants request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the amendments in view of the following remarks. Applicants believe that no fee is due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee due to enter the amendment and reconsider the application to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.